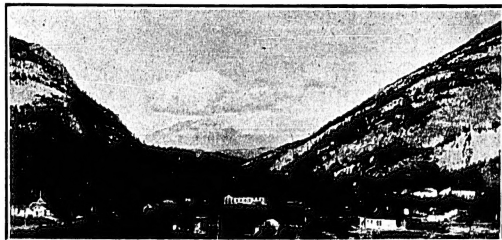
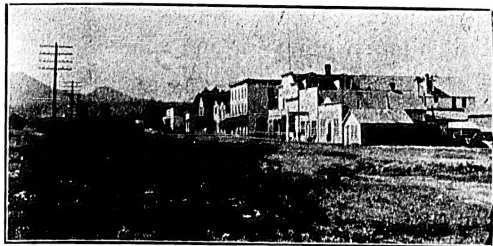


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THE BLAIRMORE TOWNSITE

The view on the left is that of the business street of the town, the ownership of the site of which has been before the Courts for six years back, and the circumstances in connection with the granting of which to Malcolm Mackenzie, M.P.P., were the subject of a lengthy discussion in the Dominion Parliament near the close of the session. More will undoubtedly be heard of the matter.

The photograph to the right gives a view up the Crow's Nest Pass from Frank, Blairmore being but two miles distant. It shows how narrow the area available for settlement between the mountains is. With the immense industrial development which is taking place in the district, the value of a townsite such as that of Blairmore becomes apparent.

PUBLISHERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

Owing to the delay which a great many of our city subscribers have experienced in receiving the Saturday News when sent through the mail, we have decided to start a delivery system of our own in Edmonton.

We would ask all those who wish to have their papers delivered to kindly send in their names and addresses without delay to the Saturday News Office on Howard St. P.O. Drawer 24.

Note and Comment

A great stir has been created throughout the continent over the alleged discovery by a cobbler in Altoona, Pennsylvania, of a method by which ashes may be made to burn. Amateur investigators have been at work from ocean to ocean, with varying results. The principal experimenter for Alberta has been the editor of the Strathcona Plaindealer. Even with an exciting real estate situation for him to keep tab on, he found time to spend a day or two in the ash heap in the back yard and in the furnace basement of his office. Now most of us have had about all the experimenting in this direction that we want for this winter, having proven to a certainty that a ton of coal will not last as long as we would like it, considering the price which we have to pay for it and the length of time that we have to keep a fire on. So however interested the average man may be in the Altoona process, he is content to leave to others the task of verifying it or disproving it.

The Plaindealer gives a very graphic account of the Editor's experiment. After securing the necessary salt, water and oxalic acid, and calling in the chief of the fire department in order to guard against the possibility that the Plaindealer would not come out next week from its own home, the work proceeded and the conclusion was reached that the cobbler had conferred the most distinct service on humanity and

that his method was a great success. Unfortunately there is considerable weight of testimony on the other side. For several hundred years scientists have been experimenting with the constituents of ashes in their laboratories, where it must be admitted the facilities for adequate tests are considerably superior to those in the basement of the Plaindealer office. Prof. W. H. Ellis, the head of the department of applied chemistry in the School of Practical Science at Toronto was interviewed by a newspaper man on the subject of the cobbler's alleged discovery.

"The various experiments which you state have been made," Prof. Ellis declared "are apparently not of a sufficiently accurate nature to enable me to even offer an intelligent opinion, as the proportions of ashes to coal, salt, to water, and other conditions appear to have varied to suit the taste of the different experimentalists."

"There is one thing, however, which is an absolutely fixed equation, and that is that ashes, by which I suppose is meant the residuum left after complete combustion, have no heating power left whatever, and no possible treatment can make them produce heat, whether in conjunction with fresh coal or other wise."

"Take for instance a pound of coal, which is all carbon. When it is burned there is no ash left whatever. If there is any ash left it means that either combustion has been incomplete, or else some portion of it will not burn. If some of it has not been consumed, why of course that portion can still be utilised—that is what cinder shifters are for—and certainly neither salt or water are necessary to induce combustion. If, on the other hand, the ashes consist of incombustibles, why, as I said before, they would not burn under any circumstances whether you pour water on them or sprinkle salt on them."

This is simple, surely. The explanation of the apparent success of the experimenters is nothing more

than they have been more careful than ordinarily in handling the coal, being anxious to verify the discovery. The ashes that have been burned contained combustibles and would have burned quite as well without the treatment to which they were subjected.

The announcement that Dr. Clendennan had been dismissed from the post of provincial medical health comes as a great surprise and the public will insist that the government explain its action. Dr. Clendennan was appointed to the position but a year ago and it is manifestly unfair to him, after causing him to give up his private practice and alter all his other arrangements, to ask for his resignation except for the best of reasons.

Up to the present no suggestion has been made that he was not discharging his duties satisfactorily and he was generally regarded as a most efficient officer. A full explanation of the course that the administration has taken should be made without delay.

A most eloquent silence is being maintained by most of the Liberal press of Western Canada on the question of the Blairmore townsite.

The Saturday News last week entered very fully into the matter and other newspapers, outside the ranks of the Government organs, have reproduced and commented on what appeared in these columns. But, to mention the two leading Liberal journals of this province, the Edmonton Bulletin and the Calgary Albertan, have they no reply to make to the very specific accusations that were preferred? It is true that the former reprinted part of Hon. Frank Oliver's speech. If it wanted to give its readers an opportunity of judging of the merits of the controversy, why did it not also tell them what Mr. Borden, Mr.

Macdonell, Mr. Lake and others who presented the case against the department had to say. Perhaps this is expecting too much from such a rabidly partisan newspaper as it has developed into in recent years. But it might have published Mr. Aylesworth's speech, in which he flatly contradicted certain very important statements, which were made by his colleague, the Minister of the Interior and which the Bulletin calls upon its readers to accept. Lastly, even though it considered that the addresses of the Conservatives, who participated in the debate, and that of the Minister of Justice were too strong mental pabulum for its subscribers, it should at least have let them have the whole of Hansard report of Mr. Oliver's speech. Instead of that it only reproduced portions, carefully eliminating the passages where the Minister was interrupted and contradicted and those where he was called upon to apologise by the Speaker for using unparliamentary language.

It is really pitiful to what a plight the Bulletin is reducing some of its contemporaries who look to it for leading. Some weeks ago, the Claresholm Review, published near Mr. Malcolm Mackenzie's home, came out with a loud blast denouncing the so-called scandalmongers at Ottawa in no unmeasured terms. It was pointed out very clearly to the Review that it was, in the picturesque parlance of the day, talking through its hat. It did not refer again to the matter till last week, when its silence was explained in the following paragraph:

"Some time ago we spoke plainly in these columns respecting the attitude of certain political adventurers in regard to the Blairmore town case. Some of our contemporaries could not agree with us and we

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With the Investor

The backward spring has not seriously affected Edmonton's building operations. The permits for April reached \$311,936. In the same month in 1906 there were \$218,927 which was considered a very large figure. The largest item for the present year was the addition to the Windsor Hotel, the cost of which is put at \$175,000. Up to date the figures for 1907 stand at \$344,408 as compared with \$392,180 in 1906.

G. W. Ribchester will erect an iron working establishment this summer to the east of Edmonton Hotel. This section of the river flats promises to become a manufacturing centre of large proportions.

S. Nankin, the Jasper Avenue Jeweller, is organizing a company which will engage in the manufacture of jewellery and will also conduct a large wholesale and retail business. A large three storey brick building is being erected at the rear of his retail store to accommodate the large business they will handle. Mr. Nankin has gone east to purchase stock and machinery and complete the organization of the company.

Great activity is in evidence at Stettler. Considerable interest is being evinced in Edmonton as a result of the excellent Stettler property which Mr. W. J. Webster is putting on the market. The rich coal bearing lands in the vicinity of the town are attracting much attention and will undoubtedly be developed very largely in the near future. That the C. P. R. sees possibilities in the coal to be obtained at Stettler is evident from the recent visit made by the company's land inspector. Mr. Hayes, and a Winnipeg party to the coal lands near the town a week ago. The prospects are that the Great Northern will pass through Stettler. The citizens are unusually enterprising body and backed by the many natural advantages which they possess should succeed in building up a prosperous town. Up to date no other single place in the West has been able to show a like record of rapid progress and there is every indication that this will steadily continue.

Extensive changes in both business and outside property have reported from Strathcona. R. McKernan sold 30 acres of his farm to A. G. Baalim for \$17,000, while Mr.

McKernan's sons, John and Wesley, sold 42 acres to Gallagher and Miller for \$35,000. Mr. McKernan, sen., has purchased the Blowey block for \$15,000 and the Plainedale-er has bought the Alberta House at the corner of Main and McDougall, for \$12,000. J. G. Tipton and Son bought the Plainedale's old building for \$14,000.

Lethbridge capitalists have bought the township of Coleridge, seven miles east of Medicine Hat. It is expected that the gas, which has been struck there, will make it an important centre.

The first car load of the delayed oil drilling machinery for the American Canadian Oil Company reached Morinville Wednesday, and the work of installing the same on their property about four miles from Morinville will be rushed forward as rapidly as possible. The equipment was purchased from the oil supply company of Pennsylvania and comprises a forty horse power boiler, a thirty horse power engine especially adapted for the purpose of drilling work and a complete standard drilling outfit and all the necessary apparatus for the work of drilling for oil. The equipment is sufficient for drilling to the depth of 3000 ft., but it is the expectation of the company that oil will be found in large quantities at 1000 ft. This is the largest and most complete drilling outfit that has ever been brought into the country. It will be a difficult task to unload this heavy machinery at Morinville, but Manager Williams is an experienced miner at such work, having spent the greater part of his life in the oil fields of the United States. It is expected that it will take about 20 days to get the machinery installed ready for operation and as soon as this is accomplished day and night shifts will be put on and the work of drilling will be proceeded with as rapidly as possible.

A number of changes in locations has been made by business firms the past week. Kelley & Mays, the insurance men, have moved from the Crystal Block to offices on Howard street, next to the Alberta Automobile Company, which they will occupy jointly with H. N. Lane and Co., who have removed from No. 13 Jasper Avenue West. J. W. G. Ibbotson has removed from 413 Jasper Avenue to the Kerr Block on Second street where he has secured an office

with the Union Realty Co. Aylwin and Co. have moved from the Heimick Block to the office at 13 Jasper Avenue vacated by Messrs Lane and Co and Ibbotson. Bishoprie and Son are occupying the offices next to the Alberta Agencies recently vacated by Low and Carpenter.

C. J. J. London of Lake St., Anne, who is in Edmonton this week, quotes William Spittal, a prospector, as stating that a rush will soon set in to the gold fields of the Yellowhead Pass of greater proportions than that of the Klondike.

A despatch from Toronto says that Albert Hawes, the well known capitalist who has made his home in Edmonton for the past six months is in that city on his way to London, England, to make preliminary arrangements regarding the bonds of the Athabaska Railway. The road will run from Edmonton to Fort McMurray, 250 miles. It is expected it will cost \$1,800 a mile, exclusive of the rolling stock.

C. Yardley Weaver of Mannville, who has been an extensive investor in Edmonton property, last week purchased 50 feet of Second avenue frontage in Saskatoon for \$13,000.

Two visitors to Edmonton during last week were Alfred McMillan of Rossland and Mr. Dunderdale of Liverpool, England, who were looking into the gold dredging prospects. They examined the lease of the North Saskatchewan Exploration Co. and it is possible that they may begin operations. It will be remembered that the Clark Dredging Co. of Strathcona has already its machinery on the way. If a second company should commence to operate, it would mean considerable stir in this industrial field.

A weekly religious paper will be established by the Presbyterians of Alberta under the editorship of Aubrey Fullerton of the Edmonton Journal. This was the decision reached at the synod meeting in Calgary.

At a meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on Monday A. H. Greaves was appointed humane officer, to act in conjunction with his other occupations at a salary of \$200 per year. It is probable that the humane officer will be given full power as a constable to act in cases of cruelty to animals in the city. Edmonton is the first city in the west to have a constable for this purpose.

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About Town.

The St. Jean Baptiste Society has chosen the following officers for the coming year: Hon. President, Hon. Senator Roy; President, Ald. Wilfrid Gariepy; 1st vice president, Emile Tessier; 2nd vice president, J. Aug. Lessard; secretary, Omer St. Germain; treasurer, Omer Terault; chaplain, Rev. Father Emard; trustees, A. Blackburn, J. Lavoie, J. H. Picard, George Roy, J. H. Gariepy, P. E. Lessard, R. Duplessis, Leo Savard, J. Bilodeau, O. Tessier, and J. T. Labissonniere. The 24th of June will this year be celebrated at Morinville.

Several prominent Liberals went down to Vegreville to attend the banquet in honor of J. B. Holden, M.P.P.

About three hundred Oddfellows took part in last Sunday's parade to the First Baptist Church. Past Grand representative Dr. H. L. McInnis acted as Grand Marshall. Among the prominent members of the order were Grand Master A. E. May; Past District Deputy W. G. Shera; of Fort Saskatchewan, Past Grand G. H. McEvoy and Noble Grand Whitecomb, of the same lodge; Past Grands West, Brown, Robinson, Lloyd, and Noble Grand Haskell, of Friendship Lodge; Past Grands Speer, Gorman, Cunningham, Speiz, Johnston, Angus, and Noble Grand McAllister, of Edmonton Lodge. An excellent sermon was preached by Rev. Bro. A. Macdonald.

The wholesale houses of Edmonton have agreed to close on Saturday afternoons from May 1st to October 1st. The following firms are included in this Saturday afternoon closing: Jas. McReady Co., Revillon Bros., A. McDonald Co., Ames Holden Co., Kenneth MacKenzie, Tees and Persse, Nicholson and Bain.

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G. A. Gouin has on exhibition in the open space between the National Trust Co. building and the Monte Carlo restaurant, a very handsome motor boat. These boats will carry from 8 to 10 people and run from six and a half to eight miles per hour. The opening up of the summer resorts at the different lakes in the Edmonton district will doubtless create a good demand for boats of this class. Mr. Gouin has a stock of these boats on hand for sale.

A second lodge of Knights of Pythis was instituted in Edmonton on Wednesday night by Col. E. H. Milham, Past Grand Superintendent Representative of Minnesota and Deputy Grand Chancellor Down. About one hundred were present. The new officers were: Robt. Hoekley, Chancellor Commander; W. B. Allison, vice chancellor; W. C. Black, prelate; R. J. Gillis, Master of Work; C. W. McInnis, K.R.S.; John A. Mackay, M. of F.; S. S. Cameron, M. of S.; N. F. Harbottle M., at A.; J. W. Lewis, I.G.; E. B. Odgers, OG; Trustees, H. C.

Taylor, N F Harbottle, and E Grierson; Past Chancellors, E A Braithwaite and W. G. Ibbotson; Representatives to Grand Lodge, H V Shaw and A E Potter.

Bernard Barthel of Chicago, the architect for the new Edmonton brewery, is in the city. The plans call for one of the most complete establishments of its kind on the continent.

An association of Ottawans is being formed in Edmonton.

An addition, to cost \$24,000 is being made to St. Joachim's presbytery. It will include a chapel for the use of the priests. A presbytery is also to be built on Kimistino

Avenue for the church of the Immaculate Conception.

The two gas by-laws were given their third reading at the council meeting on Tuesday night and will be voted upon with the money by-laws on May 27. N. F. Harbottle will act as returning officer.

Six empty cars were derailed on the E. Y. and P. near the Groat estate last week.

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Note and Comment

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waited with patience for the report of the parliamentary enquiry at Ottawa to be made public before attempting to further justify our remarks, and are pleased to copy in this issue a fair synopsis of the whole matter by the Edmonton Bulletin which we believe fully justifies the position taken by us in the beginning of the controversy and justly exposes to plain view one of the most shame-faced political slanders ever perpetrated in the Dominion.

The Bulletin article to which the Review pins its faith is that which was referred to on this page last week. The burden of it was that Mr. Mackenzie was being attacked by the C.P.R., which was unfriendly to him. But Mr. Mackenzie is not discredited by the facts, that have been brought out, half so much as is the Department of the Interior.

It is against its administration that the most serious accusations are made and the Bulletin article gave nothing like a specific answer to these. It has done nothing up to the present but follow the example of the Minister of the Interior and shout "Scandalmonger!" Do the public consider this a satisfactory answer to a charge of serious import to the whole of Western Canada that is supported by the most conclusive of evidence?

The Canadian Courier makes a significant observation: "The civic landscape artist of Montreal" it says "who designed the improvements in Ottawa, has been recently occupied in drawing up a plan for beautifying the new capital of Alberta. This little city in the far north, this recently emancipated fur station, this ambitious young thing has the audacity to attempt to do what Ottawa rose to only after fifty years of prominence as a capital. Even Toronto, seventy three years a city, has never aspired to a civic scheme of looking for beauty."

There is one expression that exception must be taken to in the above. To speak of Edmonton as "in the far north" when about 1200 miles beyond it wheat can be successfully grown, is obviously incorrect. Edmonton twenty years hence, will be recognised as the centre of the Canadian West.

As to the scheme referred to by the Courier, it will do Edmonton no harm to be known as progressive along these lines. Since the pre-

sentation of the report by Mr. Todd, the idea has met with a gratifying measure of approval from citizens at large. At the Canadian Club last Monday a committee was appointed to take up the organization of a civic guild, the object of which would be the improving and beautifying of the city. Across the river, the unrivalled opportunity which is presented will in all likelihood be taken full advantage of. The project, being fathered by Mayor Mills, for the extension of Saskatchewan Avenue, would give a driveway six miles in length along the bank of the river. It is a pity that we could not have the same on the Edmonton side but there is still the chance to accomplish much and if the present movement continues, the people of the eastern cities mentioned by the Courier will be long before coming up to the North Saskatchewan to secure pointers for guidance in this field of municipal effort.

Mrs. Wilkinson and children of Fort Saskatchewan have been visiting Miss Ferris for the last week.

Miss Jean Forsyth, the well known vocal teacher who has lately come to Edmonton to reside, will give a song recital in the Edmonton Opera House on Thursday, May 16. She will be assisted by some of the best local talent.

Miss Kiernan, a graduate of the Conservatoire of Brussels, Europe, has opened a studio at 725 7th street, where she will receive pupils for instruction in vocal and instrumental music and in the French language. She gives special training in voice production. She is forming an evening class in French and will give private tuition at homes. Miss Kiernan possesses a rich contralto voice and will be a welcome addition to the musical talent of the city.

BY-LAW NO. 93.

A by-law to amend by-law No. 242 of the Town of Edmonton, the same being a by-law to amend and consolidate as amended certain by-laws relating to the prevention of fire.

The Municipal Council of the City of Edmonton duly assembled enacts as follows:—

1. Section 2 of the said by-law No. 242 is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:

(2) For the purpose of this by-law fire limits are hereby fixed and established within the City of Edmonton as follows:

"Commencing at the intersection of Jasper Avenue with the east

limit of Namoo Avenue, thence north along the East limit of Namoo Avenue to the south limit of Rice street, thence westerly along the south limit of Rice street following the bends in said street to McDougall street, thence north along the West limit of McDougall street to the south limit of Elizabeth street, thence westerly along the south limit of Elizabeth street to First street, thence in a south westerly direction to a point where the south limit of Athabasca Avenue meets the west limit of First street, thence westerly along the south limit of Athabasca Avenue to Fourth street, thence south on the east limit of Fourth street H.B.R. to the lane in the rear of the lots facing on south limit of Jasper Avenue, thence easterly along the said lane to east limit of Second street H.B.R. thence southerly along Second street to College Avenue extension, thence easterly along the north limit of College Avenue extension and College Avenue to the east limit of McDougall street, thence south along the east limit of McDougall street to the brow of the high bank, thence easterly along the brow of high bank to the east limit of Namoo Avenue produced, thence northerly along the easterly limit of Namoo Avenue produced to the place of beginning.

2. This by-law shall come in force on the 1st day of June A.D., 1907.

Done and passed in Council this 26th day of April A.D., 1907.
(Signed) W. A. Griesbach, Mayor.
(Signed) F. M. C. Crosskill, Secretary Treasurer.

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The Great Northern's Plans for Canada.

James J. Hill has resigned the presidency of the Great Northern Railway and been succeeded in the office by his son, Louis W. Hill. Part of the interview which the latter gave out on assuming the post is of particular interest to Canadians:

"In the Canadian West" he said "we will touch, besides Winnipeg, such cities as Brandon, Regina, Edmonton, probably Prince Albert, and it is very likely that we shall traverse the Peace river country with a line several hundred miles further north than any line contemplated by any of the present Canadian systems. It is not true that we harbor any bitter feelings against the Canadian Pacific, for it is apparent temerity in entering our territory in the Western States which have been almost exclusively Great Northern for a quarter of a century. Competition brings to the surface many stories which are not reliable, some of them are written and published purely from the financial consideration involved. Very few of them are authorised.

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"I cannot tell you at this time when construction work will actually begin. Our representatives in the Canadian territory at this time are quietly looking over the field, and their reports will determine more than anything else just what movements we shall make and when.

"It is generally understood in the United States that our efforts to invade Canadian territory have been bitterly opposed by Canadian railroad interests as well as the general public. Stories to this effect are canards of the worst character. We have found the people of Canada ready to welcome the Great Northern, and, in fact, business interests across the border have come to us voluntarily, and offered every assistance within their power. There is no doubt that railroad officials of those roads which now cover the territory will oppose us to a certain extent, a fact which is only natural and to be expected. The Great Northern, however, will soon be in a position to meet every advance, and we propose to show the people of Canada that we know fully as much about the railroad business as any who have preceded us in that country."

Okotoks has decided to buy a chemical engine.

The drug business of A. A. Morrow, Jasper avenue, has been purchased by a joint stock company, of which F. W. Richardson, manager for Mr. Morrow, W. C. Black, a clerk in the store and J. M. Sissons, proprietor of the East End drug store, are the chief members. The new company have taken possession and will conduct the business from now on, having taken over the lease of the store premises.

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Personalia

Rev. Dr. Lyle, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church, Hamilton, who has been in attendance at the first meeting of the Alberta Synod in Calgary and who preached last Sunday night at the First Church, Edmonton, is one of the strong men of the denomination. Personally he is a gentleman of rare charm, a cultured Irishman, and in his home city is beloved by those of all creeds and classes. As a preacher his most distinctive quality is his courage. Many a trenchant criticism has come from his pulpit. Theologically he occupies a very advanced position and a sermon which he preached some years ago, aroused wide-spread comment. The old fire and brimstone theory he denounced in its entirety. "When Christ was so tender-hearted that he wept over the temporary sorrows of a town," he said "could he be happy in Heaven, knowing millions of people were doomed to roast forever." "Science has exploded the theory," he declared in another place "that the books of the Bible were all inspired, by word of mouth, from God. The new theology is ethical, rather than metaphysical. It emphasises right-duty to God." Dr. Lyle has certainly been a fore-runner of Rev. R. J. Campbell's creed in Canada. Yet there has been no talk of a trial for heresy. A great change has taken place in the few years that have elapsed since Rev. D. J. Macdonnell of Toronto was prosecuted in the Church courts.

Mr. Archibald Duncan has succeeded Mr. J. R. Benson, formerly accountant at Edmonton, in the management of the Imperial Bank at North Battleford. Mr. Benson has left the service of the bank to go into business. Mr. Duncan, who has been transferred from Brandon, is the youngest brother of Mrs. Edward Cotes (Sara Jeanette Duncan), the distinguished authoress, who with her husband paid an extended visit to Edmonton last summer.

The Calgary Herald says: "The Strathcona people are taking great comfort out of Mr. Niblock's suggestion that in building a Methodist church with a seating capacity of 1,000 in that town they were not building it half large enough. This is what they call 'straws, showing which way the wind blows.' How delightfully simple. If they knew our good friend Mr. Niblock and his enthusiasm as well as Calgary does, they would know that that gentleman's highest delight would be to see a Methodist church with a seating capacity equal to that of the Coliseum in every town and village in the West."

Rev. F. Barrette, O.M.I., now stationed in Montreal, it is announced, will leave for Medicine Hat. Besides attending to the duties of the Ministry, he will be entrusted with the work of collecting the memoirs of the veteran, Father LaCombe, and writing a history of the north west. Father Barrette is a writer of merit and with the assistance of the pioneer of the Black-foot missions, who has besides been a figure on the diplomatic stage, he

should be able to give much original and interesting information about the last half century.

Mr. John Crawford, barrister, of Aylmer, Ont., who has been practising for over 30 years in the law courts of Ontario, intends removing to Red Deer about the first of May to enter the office of his son J. L. Crawford, barrister of this town. Mr. Crawford finds this step necessary owing to the press of work in his practice here. Red Deer Advocate.

Rev. Professor Phillips arrived in Edmonton last week from Great Britain on a visit to his children, Miss Bessie Phillips and Mr. Gervase Phillips. He assisted in the service at All Saints' last Sunday.

Among the visitors to Edmonton at the end of last week was Mr. J. K. Kennedy, formerly of the legal firm to Bown, Dawson, Kennedy and Hyndman. Mr. Kennedy has been a citizen of Saskatoon for the past year and his friends in the Albertan capital are glad to know that he has shared fully in the prosperity that has fallen to the lot of the bustling Saskatchewan city.

Mr. J. G. Rappell, formerly of the Edmonton staff of the Merchant's Bank, has resigned the accountability of the branch at Red Deer, to enter the real estate business in Wetaskiwin. Mr. Earl Porter of the Medicine Hat branch succeeds him at Red Deer.

Mr. Francis F. Fatt, who has resigned the postmastership at Medicine Hat, was last week honored by the citizens, a deputation waiting upon him at his home and presenting him with a handsome quarter cut oak cabinet, containing a full set of sterling silver knives, forks and spoons.

Mr. J. W. Woolf M.P.P. has returned to his home in Cardston from a visit to Utah. Accompanying him back were his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woolf, who have spent the winter at Logan.

Mr. Martin Dickie, Manager of the Royal Bank of Canada at Truro N.S. who has been visiting his sister Mrs. Joseph Fulton and nephew I. P. Dickie, in Strathcona, returned to his home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Percy Barnes of Edmonton recently paid a visit at the home of his former brother, Mr. R. B. Barnes in McLeod. The brothers had not met in twenty-four years.

Dr. James F. Boyle and Mrs. Boyle of Toronto are in Edmonton at present as guests at the home of the former's brother, Mr. J. R. Boyle M.P.P. Dr. Boyle will probably commence practise in the city.

The Saturday News is in receipt of a newspaper from Durham, England, telling of the efforts of Dr. Clark of Olds, as a farmer delegate from Canada. "Dr. Clark's own personal experience," we are told "is very striking. Five years ago, in Alberta, having had no personal experience of farming, he obtained a free grant of 160 acres, for which he now possesses the deed, which land he frankly declares he would not sell for \$25,000. Surely farm laborers with experience should be able to do what a medical gentleman, without experience, has accomplished. Six weeks ago Dr. Clark landed in England, and his visit is rapidly drawing to a close. He has visited many centres in the North of England, and the other day, at West Hartlepool, 130 people interviewed him who were anxious to hear of the prospects of Canada. As a result several passages have

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IN THE ATHLETIC WORLD



Stratheona merchants have agreed to close their places of business at one o'clock each Wednesday from May to September. The town (excuse me!) city across the river is to be congratulated. The move is one that will do it good in every way and in no way more than in helping out its sporting organizations. It is impossible for these to make much progress unless a chance is given for all to participate. For amateur sport, it is particularly necessary. I understand that Calgary, Red Deer, Innisfail and Wetaskiwin have the weekly half holiday arranged for. If Edmonton doesn't get into line, it will be at a tremendous disadvantage.

The Alberta Football Association has again organized and will make an effort to take in the whole province. An important move was made in this direction, when at the annual meeting the High River district league was on its request admitted in a body. About twenty clubs are now members and it is hoped to add more in a short while.

The Calgary Albertan the other day published the following paragraph:

The Alberta football association composed of a few teams in the north still continues to call itself the whole thing. The league includes Mannville, Ponoka, and a couple of other teams. The Lethbridge News has named this league the "rump league," and the Southern league resents the assumption of this league calling itself the "Alberta" league. The Caledonians, according to the "Alberta" league, though champions of Canada, are not the champions of Alberta. The Alberta league generously offered to take in any of the Southern teams that desired to apply.

This is the kind of petty spirit that kills a game. There is no question that this Association takes in a larger territory than any of the others. Why should it be the nucleus of what can be correctly called a provincial league? Some one had to take the initiative in forming the organization and it would have done nobody any harm and the game a great deal of good if instead of standing aside and carping, the Albertan's friends had sent delegates to the annual meeting just as the clubs in the High River district did. Everyone admits that the Calgary Caledonians play good football. But is that any reason why they should adopt a "better than thou" attitude and refuse to join hands with the other teams of the province? Surely the Albertan doesn't speak for them? If it does they are a detriment rather than a credit to Alberta. The men who are at the head of the Alberta Association are well known friends of the game and thoroughly representative of a wide stretch of country. The following list of officers shows this:

Hon. President, Premier Ruthford.

Hon. Vice President, J. A. Fairley, Innisfail.

President, J. A. Jackson, Ponoka.

Vice president, H. H. Gilchrist, High River.
Secretary treasurer, S. S. Short, Edmonton.
Committee, R. C. Wane, Lloydminster, and Dr. Connolly, Vegreville.
Judiciary Committee, Inspector J. T. Ross, Stratheona; S. A. Dickson, Fort Saskatchewan; R. B. McCleish, Edmonton.

Alberta cricketers, at least, intend to take up Mr. Cushing's advice and think provincially. A meeting will be held at Red Deer on May 10 for the formation of a provincial league, to which all the clubs of Alberta are invited to send delegates. Edmonton and Calgary will both be well represented, as it has been decided to have the teams of the two cities play a game at Red Deer on Arbor day. It will be the opening event of the season for each of them. The fact that they are coming together means a big advance in itself for Alberta cricket, which has been severely local in its character up to the present. Last year both cities had teams that could have held their own with the best in the country and a first class contest should result.

C. E. Atter, secretary of the Pine Lake Cricket Club, has written with the object of securing a game in Edmonton on June 20 and with Fort Saskatchewan on Edmonton grounds the following day.

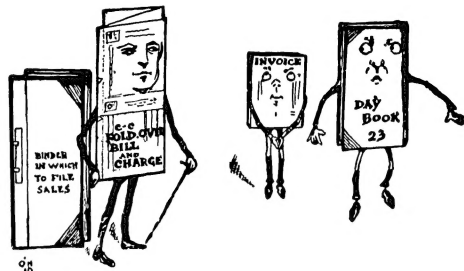
The tennis and cricket players of Wetaskiwin have joined hands this year and both games will be managed by the one organization. Sunny Alta

There are no more enthusiastic curlers in the province than those of Red Deer. At the close of the season they held a most successful banquet. Among the letters of regret was the following from Mr. A. Scott, manager of the Northern Bank at Edmonton, formerly of Red Deer, which is well worth reproducing in full: "I am in receipt of your invitation to attend the banquet of the Red Deer Curling Club on Friday evening. I very much regret that it will be impossible for me to get down on that date. I hope, however, that you will have a most successful banquet as a wind-up, to what I believe has been the most successful season in the history of the club. I have not had the pleasure of even throwing a stone from one end of the rink to the other this winter, and I may tell you that one Sunday afternoon I went down into the cellar and opened up the old box and took a look at the curling stones and put them back again. I hope, however, that next year for the credit of the lovers of the grand old game in the city of Edmonton that we will have a rink here and maybe will have the pleasure of meeting my old friends in Red Deer and giving them a run for their money on their own ice. I need hardly say that it would give me very great pleasure in being present at your banquet and listening to the tall stories of how near each of you came to winning an end, if it had not been that there was another stone lying just a quarter of an inch nearer the Tee than the last one that you sent down."

I would ask you to convey my regrets and at the same time inform the Old Guard consisting of your self and the others who have fought for the honor of Red Deer and members of the club, that so long as I am stationed in Alberta, I propose to be a member of the Red Deer Curling Club. Yours very faithfully,
A. Scott.

Communications to Mr. Adams, the secretary of the newly formed Edmonton tennis club, should be addressed in care of the Department of Public Works.

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And so the old world keeps revolving each day, and few can be granted immunity.

For both of the sexes—"Weak woman!" "strong man!"—will chat when they find opportunity.

A husband likes gossip as much as his wife, and "father's" no better than "mother."

And where half a dozen of one sex will talk, there'll always be six of the other.

Friday is my lucky day. A fortune teller on the Pike at the St. Louis Fair first confided the fact—and a series of happy incidents since that time have confirmed my faith in it. Last week I had further evidence that the usually unlucky day looks with favorable eye on Yours Most Truly, for by return mail, on the appearance of last week's issue on Friday, came a letter from A Man, commenting in distinctly clever fashion on my article of that day, and further setting forth his views on Woman-kind in general. This fact I count as fortunate, holding any editor lucky, who succeeds in arousing enough interest in his or her readers to make them want to sit down and write back. Follows the letter referred to:

Dear Peggy,—I am a busy man but I cannot resist the impulse to scratch you a line to tell you how much I appreciated your article of last Saturday. I saw the Tyranny of Tears presented some years ago and it seemed to me to point a very much needed moral. Unfortunately it was written by a mere man. It needs endorsement on the part of a woman to make its argument effective and I am more than glad that you have given it. More strength to your elbow. If we were in the habit of canonizing people nowadays, I feel sure that there are many men who would like to add St. Peggy to the list.

But I would like to see you go further. To my mind there is no more serious problem in the world to-day than that which has to do with the position to be occupied by woman kind. The ideas of our grandmothers are being abandoned. That it is in every respect for the worse I will not say. I cannot see why it should be taken for granted that women have no minds of their own and I hail with delight every movement that gives them a broader outlook. The more highly educated they are, the more delightful I have always found them. My ideal of womanhood is not the pink and white creature, who makes a good appearance in the drawing room or the ball room, but whose life and conversation are as empty as her head. But in breaking away from the old moorings, many of the sex are forgetting what their true functions are.

With the tendency which they

show to break into the occupations and habits of men I have no sympathy nor can I see how any one who has any of the old time chivalrous respect for woman can. These exhibitions which the "Suffragettes" are giving in the old country are to me nothing short of disgusting. Nor can I view with anything but alarm the tendency in our midst for women to break away from home surroundings and take their place alongside of men in the business and industrial world. I do not say that it is the girls themselves that are to be blamed individually, but there is something very wrong somewhere and the whole system should be discouraged as much as possible.

I lay down the general principle that when woman sets out to be anything else than the helper of man, supplying as wife, mother, sister, or daughter in the home that something which is a necessity to a complete well rounded existence she is going to land the human race in pitfalls so serious that one must tremble for its future. One of the greatest poems ever written was, to my mind, Tennyson's "Princess." It states the case that I am considering most admirably.

But this is getting away from your article. What I wish you would do is to follow it up by another telling your woman readers that many of them are not doing what they should in the way of home making. It is not enough that they should allow a man greater freedom of action than Clement Parbury had. A man may have all the freedom in the world yet have his home very far from what he wishes it. If you will permit me to say it, what, it appeared to me, would have made the Parbury home all right was the introduction within the five years of their married life of a couple of rosy checked children. They would soon have driven out all the nonsense that afflicted the household. There is nothing like them for the cure of domestic ills. There is no one in the world whom I more genuinely pity than the man or woman whom I hear expressing satisfaction that they are not "bothered with youngsters about the house." God help such poor misguided creatures! No wonder they have unhappiness with such ideas. Christ never uttered words more pregnant with meaning than when he said: "And a little child shall lead them." That is a universal truth which the age that we are living in cannot bear too much in mind.

Benedict.

With reference to the canonizing I am sure I should be delighted. St. Peggy, how well it sounds! Patience of Unhappy Husbands, what an interesting role! But then you see canonizing has distinctly gone out of fashion, which ne'er will I be, and I have a say in the matter, so all that remains are your good wishes and intentions for which indeed I am most truly grateful. But when it comes to asking me to put myself on record as regards woman's rights, the type of woman I admire, and what I may consider to be a woman's duties, and place in life, I shall have to beg to be excused. Sufficient that I consider no two women's duties to lie in quite the same groove. Different types of men require entirely different methods of handling. The error

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sub-collector of Customs at Frank.

B.. F Shantz has been appointed
city constable of Wetaskiwin.

Wetaskiwin Council is in com-
munication with the provincial gov-
ernment authorities regarding the
establishment of a government
owned telephone for the city.

A. A. P. McDowell, late of
Edmonton, is establishing the Days-
land Press.

John Hallis, clerk of the Indian
reserve at Hobbema for five years
past has been transferred to Gris-
wold, Man.

The Red Deer council is taking
steps to secure a park site in the
south end of the town.

On April 20 a young Englishman
named Joseph Wearing, living near
Stettler, was overcome by gas while
digging a well and succumbed be-
fore he could be taken out.

James I. Brewster has sold the
Brewster House at Bowden to
James A. Cornish, late of Wood-
stock, Ont.

The establishment of a beet sugar
factory is proposed in Wetaskiwin.

While halter breaking a spirited
colt Magistrate Bauer of Battle
River had his collar bone broken and
was otherwise seriously injured.

Red Deer ratepayers will vote on
a by-law to grant a loan of \$5,000
to A. Paradis towards the estab-
lishment of a sash and door factory.

Gen. Supt. Jamieson has notified
Red Deer Board of Trade that it will
not be possible for the C.P.R. to
erect a new station at that point
till next year at least.

A prairie firebetween Okotoks
and High River destroyed R. Quint-
on's granary and stables, T. Morris-
son's out-buildings and hay and
burned 100 tons of hay on the
Lineham ranch.

An Automobile Club has been for-
med in Medicine Hat.

The steamboat being built for
navigation on the South Saskatche-
wan at Medicine Hat will be ready
for launching by the middle of May.

Both the I.O.O.F. and the Knights
of Pythias will build two storey
business blocks in Lethbridge.

Grand Master May of the I.O.O.F.
instituted a new lodge at Vermilion
on April 22 amid very auspicious
circumstances.

The Alberta Presbyterian Synod
decided to divide the Presbytery of
Red Deer, the new Presbytery to be
known as Lacombe.

The council at Frank is buying a
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- (1) To forward the interests of the producers of grain and live stock in every honorable and legitimate way.
- (2) To hold meetings for the discussion of subjects pertaining to the production of grain and live stock, and the best means of marketing the same.
- (3) To encourage the production of superior varieties of grain, and the breeding and raising of improved stock.
- (4) To encourage the establishment of industries which will give the producer greater facilities for marketing his produce.
- (5) To obtain by united effort profitable and equitable prices for farm produce.
- (6) To watch legislation relating to the farmers' interests, particularly that affecting the marketing and transportation of farm produce.
- (7) To suggest to Parliament from time to time as it is found necessary through duly appointed delegates, the passing of any new legislation to meet changing conditions and requirements.

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HOW TO MAKE THE FARMER CONTENTED AND HAPPY.

The Hon W. H. Cushing, Minister of Public Works, addressing the Canadian Club of Calgary on the Government telephone policy said:

"Rural telephones are going to make our farmers more contented with rural life, and it will bring them into closer touch with the world and its doings." "Nothing is more desirable than to make this great class of people who are the main stay of the province contented and happy."

We are pleased to know that Mr Cushing believes the welfare of the farmer to be a matter of great importance, and we take the liberty of suggesting that one of the surest ways of making this great class of people who constitute the mainstay of our province contented and happy is to provide the means of making the staple product of the soil bring to the producer a price bearing some resemblance to the one

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consumers have to pay. The opposite is a part of the world's doings that the farmers have been in touch with too long.

"American farmers," said Mr. Cushing, "when they hear Alberta is installing a system of telephones that will serve the rural districts will be more anxious to come here than ever. The telephone which was such a convenience in the old home will be accessible in the new. What can be a better advertisement for Alberta than this very thing?"

That is an easy one. The knowledge that the farmers in Alberta get full value for their products would heat it to death. We have lived in Alberta the greater part of a decade and have been asked a great many questions by farmers in the United States concerning conditions here, but never one about rural telephones. So long as our enquirers confined their questions to soil, climate, schools, churches, character of settlers, laws and political liberty we could enter with a considerable degree of enthusiasm on answering them; but when they mentioned, the stability of the hog and cattle markets we simply had to lie down. Farmers from the western states who were accustomed to looking upon their hog crops as their principal source of money were assured by Canadian Government agents that the Kootenay and the north country would consume all the hog products that the farmers of Alberta could supply for many years to come. So far as we can learn the statements were true; the trouble is that Alberta packers make no pretence to supplying this market even when the hogs are offered them at low prices.

We recently heard a prominent Alberta business man while addressing an audience of organized farmers, deplore the fact that so large a quantity of pork is being imported into Western Canada while the packers of Winnipeg are unable to secure hogs to one fourth the limit of their capacity. He intimated that the farmers of Alberta were not alive to the opportunity that exists here for making money by supplying hogs for their plants. He seemed to think that a packing house 1000 miles away ought to look good to us. But we happen to know who pays the freight, and when the railroads are each year becoming less able to handle the cattle and grain that is produced here we know just what will take place if we add live hogs to the list of stuff to be transported.

Another said: You farmers are sure of a good market for your hogs if you will only have patience. P. Burns and Co. are enlarging their yards in Strathcona and preparing to ship hogs extensively to their new plant at the coast, which must for many years look to Alberta for its supply of hogs and cattle. We know nothing of the extent to which British Columbia can provide material to supply a packing house, but we do know that the farmer in Alberta, who undertakes to supply hogs for a plant across 800 miles of mountains at a price which will pay freight and provide what most packers call a living profit, will have little profit himself to live on. If the farmers will continue to raise barely enough hogs to supply the local demand for fresh meat, as they are doing now, they will continue to get good prices for them, but whenever there is a surplus that has to be sent to Winnipeg or Vancouver, we may again look for low prices.

The farmers are not finding fault with Mr. Cushing. They look upon him as one of the best of Mr. Rutherford's very hale cabinet ministers. They are not "knocking" the telephone project; nine out of every ten of them endorse the principle and approve the act. They do say, secure us a fair price for our products and we will be able to pay even Bell rates for our telephones. The

principle which will justify undertaking the telephone business will do the same for the packing business.

When the creamery industry under private management had become almost a failure, the Government took charge, and that business is now recognised as one of the most important and beneficial in the province. When the farmers refused to patronize longer the private hail insurance companies because of their unreliability, the government went into the business and that business is now firmly established and is looked upon as a legitimate field for government effort.

Western municipalities to-day assume the duty of providing their residents with such necessities as light and water instead of giving franchises to private corporations to perform this duty as was formerly the case. The telephone project is the latest move in the interest of the people after private management had become more concerned with increasing profits to stockholders than with improving the service to patrons, and the farmers maintain; that the meat industry has fallen into the same condition and they demand a like protection and remedy at the hands of the provincial government.

W. F. Stevens, Sec. A.F.A. (Ed. Note. Mr. Stevens' article was in the hands of the Editor last week, but on account of the press of matter had to be held over.)

OVERLOADING CARS WITH BULK GRAIN.

A prominent railway official writes the Saturday News as follows:

It may be a matter of interest to members of the A.F.A. and others who ship bulk grain to know that when railway cars are loaded with bulk grain to more than their estimated carrying capacity the railway companies charge a penalty of 50 per cent over the regular rate for any excess weight for such estimated capacity. One might think this would prevent any over-loading but the railway companies complain that every day they find cases of overloading and frequently cars are over-loaded to such an extent that the safety of their trains is seriously endangered thereby. Most cars are allowed to carry 10 per cent over their stencilled capacity and when the shipper knows the weight of grain he is loading it should be an easy matter to avoid any overloading as the capacity is stencilled on each car and when there is any uncertainty about the carrying capacity of the car the station agent may be appealed to.

It is not, of course, always easy if the shipper does not know the weight of the grain to avoid overloading, in view of the fact that some Alberta grains weigh more than Eastern grains per bushel, and the grain lines in the cars are not accurate for such Alberta grains. For instance the oat line is based on an estimated weight of 34 lbs per bushel and the Canadian Pacific Railway during the past season found so much overloading of oats from Alberta stations that they issued a circular letter to their station agents in which they pointed out how frequently oats were over-loaded and instructing agents to see that Alberta oats which average 42lbs per bushel are not loaded in cars to more than half way between the barley and oat line.

It is particularly desirable when cars are consigned to Eastern Canada or other distant destinations that the loads conform to the capacity of the cars as otherwise when the cars pass track scale stations they will have to be transferred to larger cars or a portion of the load taken out. If the load is transferred to a larger car the consignee will have to pay the transfer charges

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We are sure the members of the A.F.A. will do well to adhere as closely as possible to the rules of the railway companies in this matter as if they do otherwise it cannot but result in loss to themselves and trouble and annoyance to their customers and the railway companies.

E. N. Barker, Cardston, writes the Saturday News from Calgary as follows:

The horse parade show on the 20th was a great success and brought many horsemen together. This was organized at short notice not so much for purposes of competition but rather to bring horse owners together and give the public a chance to see the strength of the purebred stock on hand and what had come in lately. Thirty two well bred stallions including Clydes-Percherons, French Draft, and one Suffolk Punch, French Coach trotter and one thoroughbred. The good that these 32 horses alone can do in one season marks a new era in the line of progress and is a sign of the times. During the day the horsemen organized, or rather decided to work as a breeder's association under the auspices of the Fair Association for the advancement and the betterment of horses in general.

The weather lately has been very second rate but has not materially injured prospects and there is some more of that prize wheat coming along.

A good gathering of the farmers was present at the regular meeting of the Vegreville branch of the A.F.A. on April 27th. The subject under discussion was how to extend the association. It was decided that the President and secretary go east on Monday and round up the farmers around Lavoie and organize a branch there. Owing to the late spring it was decided to have only one meeting in May on the last Saturday the 25th.

The Regina Standard is authority for the statement that on May 22, 1897, Matthew Evey, whose farm is located about four miles northeast of that city, sowed his crop. The wheat was harvested safely and J. D. Sibbald, at that time of the Western Milling Company, Regina, shipped two bags of the product to Winnipeg where it was shown at the exhibition. The wheat sown on Regina Plain on May 22 won first prize against all other grain on exhibition.

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Dr. McIntyre M.P. will address the Leduc Board of Trade at an early date on the work of the late session.

Leduc council has prohibited the erection of frame buildings within a certain area.

The Blindman Electric Co. is now supplying light to Lacombe.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA.

Department of the Provincial Secretary.

Edmonton, April 25th, 1907.

THE FIRST CONVOCATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA.

The attention of all University graduates residing in the Province is directed to the University Act of 1906, providing for the establishment and incorporation of a University for the Province of Alberta. Special attention is drawn to sections 8, 9, and 10 of the Act in question which provide for the first convocation of the University.

Section 8 is as follows: "The first convocation of the University shall consist of all graduates of any University in His Majesty's Dominion having the degrees of Bachelor or Master of Arts, Bachelor, Licentiate or Doctor of Law or of Civil Law, Bachelor or Doctor of Medicine, Bachelor or Master of Science, or Bachelor of the Science of Agriculture and graduates of the Royal Military College of Canada who are actually residing in the Province three months prior to the first election of members of the Senate of the University and who at least one month prior to the said election register themselves as members of such convocation in the office of the "Provincial Secretary."

Section 10 reads as follows: "A register shall be kept by the Provincial Secretary in which he shall enter the names of graduates who are entitled to be members of the first convocation upon their producing to him satisfactory proof of their qualification under section 8 and upon due payment of the fee of \$2.00, and the entry upon the register of the name of any person shall become conclusive evidence that such person is a member of the convocation and is entitled to vote as such."

A register for the enrolment of members of the first convocation of the University of Alberta as above outlined is now open in the office of the Provincial Secretary where enrolment may be made at any time upon complying with the foregoing conditions.

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The Mirror

(Continued from page 8)

of the whole system is in allowing some of both sexes to ever be married at all, at all.

Your letter leaves one in little doubt as to the position you would have all women occupy. It is distinctly a selfish man's view of the case. While everyone is agreed, I think, that woman's chief function in life is home making, there are hundreds of cases where circumstances do not admit of her devoting herself to that end. A number of men and women, for instance, do not think require married state as the cure all, or end-all of existence. Being peculiarly fitted for a certain line of work they forego the hoped-for joys, which might ensue from having a home of their own, for the more certain results to be derived from following along the lines of their particular ambitions.

Would you prefer more unhappy homes, at any cost, to the present order of things, where each party to the general scheme of things follows out what he or she believes to be their destiny or duty?

With reference to woman's invading what have been up till recent years considered man's peculiar fields, I can only say that if she is able to beat man out at his own game, it should be a case of the survival of the fittest. Personally I much prefer as a general thing, the home-making woman—but that doesn't mean that I would deprive other women of their newly-acquired and much-cherished rights. I do believe however, that there is something very, very wrong in a system that allows the daughters of comparatively wealthy men, to seek and hold positions, which only mean so much extra pocket money for them, when their less fortunate sisters are absolutely in need of the necessities of life and are much better qualified to fulfil the duties of these situations than they are.

Here, however, man is himself to blame. When employers cease to let a smart appearance and "pull" enter into the question of employing their help then will the "pin-money" girls drop out and leave the battle to those others, to whom the positions mean the serious business of their existence.

Your plea that the Purbury home would have been the better for two or three rosy-checked children is doubtless sound. And yet I wonder if Clement Purbury should ever have been married in the first place, and whether a hysterical woman like Mrs. Purbury, was ever fitted to be the mother of children.

Better surely no family at all, than to bring children into the world with a heritage of "nerves," and goodness knows what else.

Coming back to the fundamental principle of the whole argument, I would have fewer homes, but better ones, fewer children out healthier ones, many marriages less, but happier unions.

I believe that I originally started out by declaring my intention of not committing myself to anything—which was foolish but eminently suggestive of certain politicians' line of conduct.

Finally I would suggest that the so-called feminist movement of the day is not the wisest policy for our sex generally. When woman essays to out masculine man she drouns from her hand her very strongest weapon in dealing with him; to wit, her weakness. Woman-to-day influences man because she is so totally different from him; he admires her gentleness and tenderness of heart he believes in her womanly instinct; he is touched by the trust she places in him; he is anxious to please and conciliate her. If she loses her grace, her delicacy, her femininity, she will likewise lose her influence, and chivalry will be a lost quality.

Clearly we cannot have it all our

own way. We cannot rule man by our weakness and sweetness, and at the same time rival him in strength and independence. Lastly if my correspondent can now figure on my actual views on these matters he's much wiser than the majority of his sex, and I, if I figure correctly, haven't given myself away completely after all.

A CHAIN COMMUNICATION.

Someone last week had the great thoughtfulness to send me an endless chain communication. I append it in its entirety.

"Oh Lord Jesus Christ, we implore Thee oh eternal God, to have mercy on all mankind, keep us from all sin by thy precious blood, and take us to be with Thee eternally. Amen."

This paper was sent out by Bishop Jaines, requesting that it be written out and sent to nine different persons commencing the day received, and write one each day for nine days. It is said that he who will write this prayer for nine days, will on or before the ninth day experience some great joy and will also be delivered from some great calamity, and he who will not write it will be overtaken by some great misfortune.

Please do not break this chain."

Being curiously minded as to the identity of a Bishop who could perpetrate such foolish threats I made it my business to find out about His Lordship and it need hardly surprise you to learn that he never existed, save in the imagination of the poor fanatic who started the chain.

In any case I should have paid scant heed to such a request, so very unwise, and may I say it, mischievously worded.

Endless chains and their like appeal to me as do all other fake propositions as good things to ignore. While I can't possibly see what the originator in the present instance, has to gain, neither can I for one moment discover what earthly good my forging nine links in such a chain could do.

Maybe I'm a bit unorthodox, maybe too I'm all wrong, but true religion in my humble opinion, is not made up of set prayers and doing certain acts at certain specified times, but rather consists in living the gospel of love every day being honest, kindly, unselfish.

As for the threats of the zealous Bishop, even if he were a Bishop, they blow as lightly by me as would the down of a thistle. Having broken his chain I await the result with interest—one only thing is puzzling me, what manner of person is it that abrogates to himself the display of Divine wrath and what conception has he of the All-Wise and All-Just God?

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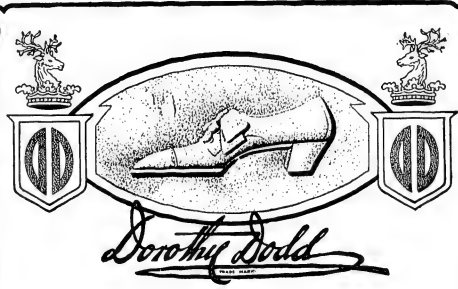
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In the Athletic Field

(Continued from page 7)

Lethbridge council has made a grant of \$150 to finance the ball team of that city in taking a tour of the northern states, preliminary to the opening of the Alberta League.

The fact that there is to be a league team on the Edmonton side of the river will not cause the game to die out in Strathcona. The club has reorganized with Arthur Davis as president, C. H. Grant as secretary-treasurer, and Fred McNally as manager and a first-class team will be placed on the field.

Shanks, the lacrosse goal keeper, has returned to this city and will figure on the capital team this summer.

Edmonton lacrosseists have learned with much regret of the death of J. J. Morrow, one of the city team's players last summer, which occurred early in April at Tottenham, Ont.

An Old Country football club has been formed at Red Deer to be composed wholly of those born across the ocean. This is on the same plan as the Caledonians of Calgary. If it is followed out, it is likely to produce something exciting in the way of athletics. Before long we may see football teams taking the field to the singing of "Scots wha hae" "The dear little shamrock," "The maple leaf," etc. on the part of their supporters in the crowd.

The victory of Thomas Longboat, the Six Nation Indian runner, who wears the colors of the West End Y.M.C.A., Toronto, in the Marathon race at Boston, was a great event in our athletic history. He clipped the record, hitherto held by another Canadian, J. J. Caffrey of Hamilton, by 5 min 24 4-5 secs.

The officers elected at the annual meeting of the Edmonton Rifle Association were as follows:

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Any person wishing to enroll in this association should apply to the captain or the secretary treasurer.

The Cardston Exhibition Association will buy 40 acres of land from J. A. Woolf.

Raymond is considering a proposition from the Knight Sugar Company to supply the town with an electric light system.

BORN.

Robinson—At Lacombe, on Saturday, April 6, to Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Robinson, a daughter.

At Wetaskiwin, on Tuesday, the 23rd inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Alec Waterson, a son.

Fitzgerald—On April 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Fitzgerald, of Edmonton, a daughter.

d'Easum At Fort Saskatchewan, 29th April, the wife of Basil C. d'Easum, a son.

MARRIED.

Cormier—Redmond At the R. C. Church, Wetaskiwin, on Wednesday, April 21, by the Rev. Father Van Wetten, Miss Sarah Redmond, of Edmonton, to Mr. Henry Cormier, of Wetaskiwin.

Sutherland Asher At the home of the bride's parents, on April 21th, by Rev. Mr. Forbes, Alice, M. Sutherland, to Bathia S. Asher, both of Fort Saskatchewan.

Craig—Covey At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barre, Battenburg, by Rev. A. Forbes, on 17th April, David Alexander Craig of Namao, to Anna Grace Covey of New London.

Pambrum McDonald At the Manse, Fort Saskatchewan, by the Rev. A. Forbes, on the 11th of April, George Pambrum of Beaver Lake, to Mary McDonald of Ross Creek.

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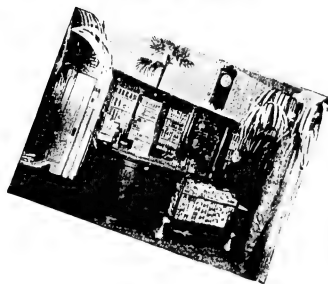
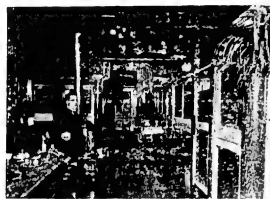
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been booked. At the present time, in the 44 steamers that will shortly sail for Canada, every available second and third class berth has been secured. Roughly speaking, this amounts to about 40,000 people." No one who has heard Dr. Clark on the platform will question the effectiveness of the work which he would be able to accomplish in the Old Land.

Mr. F. W. Kerr, who has been appointed student assistant to Rev. Dr. McQueen for the summer months, was for two years a member of the public school teaching staff in Strathcona, leaving for the East five years ago.

Mr. J. K. Cornwall has returned to Edmonton after an extended visit east and expects to leave for the north next week.

The Winnipeg Free Press announces very positively that the extended leave of absence granted to General Manager James of the C.N.R. is tantamount to his resignation. The announcement is of very great interest to Mr. James's many friends throughout Alberta. For a considerable time past, the Free Press says, it has been understood that Mr. James has been at variance with other executive officers of the company upon their policy affecting the operating department of the road. It is known that he strenuously opposed the purchase of the Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan or Prince Albert line, maintaining that the C.N.R. could not possibly operate it with the present equipment, but his objections were over-ruled and the deal was put through. Mr. James is also reported to have made requisitions for large additions to motive power and rolling stock which were honored only in part. The differences between Mr. James and his superior officers culminated, according to report, in a stormy interview between Victor President Mann and himself on Friday which resulted in the latter handing in his resignation, to take effect at once. It is known that it was not definitely accepted, but afterwards it was announced that Mr. James would take an extended vacation. The C.N.R. officials deny the correctness of the Free Press story.

The preliminary trial of Victor Houde after dragging along for a considerable period ended in his being committed to appear before the High Court next June. The facts brought out were that George Wood was murdered by a heavy iron stove shaker in the hands of some unknown person, and that the murderer after inflicting the fatal blow secreted the weapon underneath the bed clothes in the Houde shack, and that the man now charged with the crime was seen coming from the shack on the evening of the tragedy about the time the murder is thought to have been committed, and that when arrested he admitted having had a fight with the murdered man, who, he claimed, had ill used him.

Joe Fife is opening up a lunch room and cafe on Howard street next to the Saturday News office, which will be known as the "Mid night Sun" and make a specialty of serving quick meals and night lunches. It will be a large roomy place and in addition to the regulation lunch counter there will be several tables and private rooms. A merchant's midday lunch will be served from 11.30 to 1.30 which they claim will be the best 25 cent meal to be had in the city.

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A meeting was held in Edmonton this week to organize an association of County of Bruce Old Boys and Old Girls. I am interested in learning the result of the scheme. Old Boys Associations are a success wherever they have been formed. But I would like to have a good look at the person who had the nerve to try to drum up members for an Old Girls' Association!

A despatch says that the Queen of Spain attended a circus the other day. It would be just a certain raiser, however, to the circus said to be about due at the Royal Palace.

For years back from every part of the West the cry has gone up, in season and out of season, "Railways, more railways wanted!" And now we find the people who looked upon the coming of a steel highway as equivalent to the millennium wishing for a return of the good old days. "Twins ever thus and, likewise, probably always will be. How often are we satisfied with what we have wished for the most ardently? This mild excursion into the realm of philosophy is prompted by picking up a copy of the Vegreville Observer the other day and reading the correspondence from Beaver Lake.

"When I landed here sixteen years ago," declares this scribbler, "the atmosphere was already full of railroads; we were to have one within a year and a half and it was to come up from Battleford to Edmonton along the old telegraph line. Since then we have lived in pursuit, with all the illusive pleasure of anticipation, and none of the worry and

inconvenience with which possession has finally saddled us. Our mail used to come to us from Fort Saskatchewan, and it never failed to come. A most excellent man, a mute inglorious hero, by birth a Swede, Swan Hansen by name, brought it through those long summers and winters; the most terrific climatic cataclysms never made him more than a few hours late. In the year of the great floods, when the Royal Mail was carried off its wheels by the form crested billows of Beaver Creek, he plunged into the surging main and rescued his bags, two with his hands and one with his teeth. Catch the C.N.R. doing anything of the kind. In those days when we started to go to town we knew not only the moment of our departure but the probable time of our arrival. Now we know neither, within a month. In those days everything arrived; I don't know how, but it did. We never waited on the drifts of the truck. Oh! the good old time before the railroad; the steady reliable mail service; the honest staunch cayuse team the worthy, faithful Swan. Where are they?"

All of which brings us back to that old question: "Is the world getting any better?" And back to that still older and more pointed one: "What's the good in anything?" to which Albert Chevalier used to reply "Nuffink."

A paper published out in Hamilton, Skagit County, State of Washington, recently contained the following item:

"Oscar Wilson, who is wearing the tired look of one who has wrestled with a thermometer 55 degrees below zero, blew into this city from Alberta Tuesday. Oscar tells us that the Hamilton contingent up there are all growing rich due to the advance in land from 9 to 12 dollars an acre. All the boys are ranching except one, Harry Cary, who is starving to death trying to run a restaurant."

Now this is rather a hasty slap at Harry, who happens to be in business down at Stettler. He naturally resents it and has had it inserted in the Stettler Independent, with this rejoinder:

"In reply to this" says the Independent "Mr. Cary wishes to state that he is not starving to death but doing a good business; though he would starve to death if there were many such loafers around as the said Oscar Wilson who sponged on him all the winter and finally depart-

ed for Hamilton, Skagit Co. Washington, without paying one cent for his board."

Mr. Wilson is not likely to be bothered in the future by the journalistic attentions of his erstwhile boarder. Incidentally the world should take notice of the kind of people that run down Alberta.

A reader asks me to publish the following:

THE ELOCUTIONIST'S CURFEW.

England's sun was slowly setting—
(Raise your right hand to your brow!)

Filling all the land with beauty
(Wear a gaze of rapture now!)

And the last rays kissed the forehead of a man and maiden fair,
(With a movement slow and graceful you may now push back your hair!)

He with sad bowed head (A drooping of your head will be all right,
Till you hoarsely, sadly whisper—
Curfew must not ring to-night!)

"Sexton," Bessie's white lips faltered Try here to resemble Bess,

Though, of course, you know she'd never worn quite such a charming dress!)

"I've a lover in that prison!"—
(Don't forget to roll your r's. And to shiver as though gazing through the iron prison bars).

"Cromwell will not come till sunset!"—(Speak each word as though you'd bite
Every syllable to pieces)—Curfew must not ring to-night."

"Bessie," calmly spoke the sexton—
(Here extend your velvet palm; Let it tremble like the sexton's as though striving to be calm)

"Long, long y'ars I've rung the curfew
(Don't forget to make it y'ars.

With a pitiful inflection that a world of sorrow bears, "I have done my duty ever" (Draw yourself up to your height!)

For you're speaking as the sexton—
"Gyurl, the curfew rings to-night."

Out she swung, far out (Now here is where you've got to do your best,
Let your head be twisted backward, let great sobs heave up your chest,

Swing your right foot through an arc of 90 lineal degrees,
Then come down and swing your left foot, and be sure don't bend your knees;

Keep this up for fifteen minutes till your gaze face is worn and white,

Then gaze at your mangled fingers) "Curfew shall not ring to-night!"

O'er the distant hills came Cromwell (Right hand to the brow once more;

Let your eyes look down the distance, say above the entrance door)

At his foot she told her story (Lift your hands as though they hurt)

And her sweet young face so haggard (Now your pathos should assert,

Then you straighten up as Cromwell, and be sure you get it right;

Don't say "Go, your liver loves!" well, Curfew shall not ring to-night!"

A little girl when asked to write about wild animals and the countries they inhabited, wrote: "Wild animals used to abound in England, but now they can only be found in the Theological Gardens."

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EDMONTON MARKETS

The local wheat market is practically unchanged from last week. Receipts very small. Coarse grains rule very firm with oats selling from 28 to 32 cents, per bushel by the load on market square.

Elevator prices.

No. 1 Northern wheat 59 cents per bushel.

No. 2 Northern wheat 56 cents per bushel.

No. 3 Northern wheat 51 cents per bushel.

Lower Grades, 40 to 50 cents per bushel.

No. 2 White Oats, 25 cents per bushel.

No. 3 White Oats 24 cents per bushel.

Fred Barley 27 to 30 cents per bush.

Maltng Barley, 30 to 40 cents per bush.

Average price maltng barley 35 cents.

HAY.

Receipts of hay have been quite liberal and while prices remain about the same as last week there is a less urgent demand.

HAY receipts of hay have been more liberal but demand continues good at prices quoted.

Ruling prices about as follows:

Baled Hay in car lots -

Slough, \$10 to \$13 per ton.

Upland, \$14 to \$17 per ton.

Timothy \$17 to \$20 per ton.

By the load on market square

Slough, \$12 to \$18 per ton.

Upland, \$17 to \$20 per ton.

Timothy, \$20 to \$25 per ton.

Sheave Oats, \$8 to \$12 per ton.

Straw, \$4.00 to \$5 per load.

Coal, \$1.50 to \$5 per ton.

Flour, Retail.

Best patent, \$2.30 per cwt.

Strong Bakers \$2 per cwt.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Prices quoted are average prices being paid to farmers in quantity

Eggs.

Strictly fresh, 18 to 20¢ per doz.

Butter.

Receipts more liberal at a slightly lower range of prices.

Fancy dairy, 1 pound prints, 30 to 35 cents per pound.

Good to choice dairy, 25 to 30 cents per pound.

Dairy in crocks and tubs, 18 to 20 cents per pound.

creamery butter 30 to 35 cents per pound. Old butter, slow sale.

Potatoes.

There is a more active demand for potatoes with a small advance in prices.

Good potato selling around 40 cents per bushel.

LIVE STOCK

Fat cattle, live weight, 4 to 4 1/2¢ per pound; dressed, 6 1/2 to 7 1/2¢ per pound.

Live hogs, 6 to 6 1/2¢ per pound. Dressed, 8 1/2¢ per pound.

Live Sheep, 5 1/2 to 6 cents per pound.

Veal calves, dressed, 8 to 10 cents per pound.

POULTRY

Live Turkeys, 15 to 16¢ per pound. Dressed, 18 to 20 cents per pound.

Live chickens, 11 to 12¢ and a half per pound. Dressed, 15 to 17¢ per pound.

Old hens, live, 10 to 11 cents per pound.

Old hens, dressed 14 cents' per pound.

LUMBER.

Local lumber sellers have received notice from the British Columbia manufacturers that the price is to be shopped up a few notches higher notwithstanding the recent investigation.

The local dealers have decided that no advance will be made on the present rate for sometime yet—not before the first of June at

least. Most of the stock in the Edmonton yards was purchased on the basis of the old No. 15 list, and the dealers are going to give the public the benefit of this advantage.

The advances per thousand feet are in the different varieties of lumber as follows:

Boards, 4in to 12in \$2.00

Resawn boards 1.00

Dimension, all sizes 2.00

Timber, all sizes 2.00

Ship lap, 4in 1.00

Shiplap, 6in 2.00

Shiplap, 8in, 10in, and 12in 3.00

Flooring, No. 1, 2, 3 2.00

Ceiling, No 1 and 2 3.00

Ceiling, No 3 2.00

Ceiling, 1-2 inch, No. 1 and 2 2.00

Siding, No 1 2.00

Siding No 2 3.00

Siding bevelled No. 1 2.00

Siding, bevelled No. 2 1.00

No change Dimension, elevator cribbing 1.00

Lath remains at the old prices.

The British Columbia lumber mills are already engaged in cutting the logs for this year's cut, and have orders for supplies away above their power to fill.

Those familiar with the lumber trade say that the export trade from British Columbia is sufficient to take every board of lumber manufactured in the province, and it is only from motives of patriotism that any attention is paid to the prairie trade at all.

CALGARY.

From our special correspondent.

The local markets are stiffening all round. No. 1 wheat has gone up to 59c, steers are quoted at 4 1/4 to 4 3/4 c; live weight, by a bullish firm and hogs are up to 7 1/2.

Dairy produce is very scarce, and is only prevented from rising by the fact that the limit is reached for this time of the year.

CARDISTON, May 3rd.

No. 1 Alberta Red, 57 cents.

Oats are still 75 cents per 100.

VEGEEVILLE

No 2 Nor Wheat, 52¢ per bushel.

No. 2 white oats, 25¢ per bushel.

Hay \$12 to \$14 per ton.

Dressed hogs, 7 to 7 1/2¢ per pound.

WINNIPEG,

May 2nd 1907.

Markets very strong owing to the continued damage to winter wheat in U.S. and delay in spring wheat seeding, also winter damage to crops in Germany and adjoining countries in Europe. Good export demand at higher prices. Weather is cold and unseasonable all over America. Improvement in weather might cause prices to ease off a little but we look for higher prices later. Prices in Winnipeg and United States markets 3 to 4 cents

higher than week ago. Oats are firm with good demand 1 1/4 higher for cash. Lake navigation opened at Fort William on Tuesday. To-day's cash prices:

1 Nor 81 1-2 cents.

2 Nor 78 5-8 cents

3 Nor 75 3-8 cents

Futures May 81 1-2 cents, July 83 1-2 cents, October 83 5-8 cents,

2 white oats 37 3-4 cents, May 37 7-8, June 38 3-8 cents, July 38 1-8.

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The Mirror

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HOME AND SOCIETY

To London Town from Babylon
The pagant of the world goes by!
For you, for you, I pause and con-
A Stander-By.

Societydom is evidently all intent on setting itself in order for the summer months, no events of any magnitude having taken place within its borders during the last few days. But if things have been a bit dull in the way of dances and big teas, there have been many jolly smaller functions, where little circles of congenial souls enjoyed themselves quite as well as if the list of guests had been larger and the preparations more elaborate. Indeed, is it not the quiet cup of tea and the cosy little chat that one likes best, when all is said and done?

Perhaps the most noticeable feature of the week's happenings have been the number of visitors arriving and going, and the return of several well known hostesses from extended visits elsewhere.

Mrs. J. E. Wallbridge has returned from a delightful visit to the Coast, looking very much stronger and seeming so glad to be home again.

Mrs. Cuddey's mother, Mrs. Helliwell is another recent arrival whom her friends are welcoming back to town.

I hear Mrs. Arthur Mowat is expected in Edmonton in the course of a few days, while Miss Eleanor Taylor and her cousin, who were looked for sometime last week, only arrived on Wednesday.

Mrs. Blaylock of Calgary, was one of last week's charming visitors, who spent a happy week end as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Hamilton, at "Ladown Villa". Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, by the way, are now on pension at the Cecil Annex, Sheriff Robertson's old home on Jasper, where they have secured two fine rooms which they will furnish themselves. As yet, I believe, the new occupants of the Annex are all unsatisfied, but before long it is confidently expected that everything will be in first class order.

Miss Gladys and Miss Kate Bouchier, and Mr. Tom Kelly were members of a large party which left for the north by stage, on Thursday. Mr. Kelly will not return until late October, while the Misses Bouchier will be absent about two months. The trip they are taking is said to be a remarkably beautiful and interesting one, indeed, so far famed is it, that travellers from all over the world journey north to investigate its wonders. Among others who will undertake the trip during the coming summer, is Miss Agnes Deans Cameron, the vice president of the Canadian Women's Press Club, who will write a series of articles and stories on the land of the Midnight Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. McLeod were guests last week of Mrs. (Dr.) Macdonald, of Sixth Avenue, Calgary, having gone down to attend the military ball.

The regular luncheon of the Canadian Club of Calgary took place on Wednesday at 12:30 noon, in the Young Men's Club rooms. The speaker of the day was Mr. Auguste Noel, of Edmonton, a clever young French Canadian who has recently taken up his residence in the West. Subject "The Future of Canada." Mrs. Noel accompanied her husband, and they stayed in town for the dance. The Calgary Prairie.

Capt. B. J. Saunders, D.L.S.C., left on Sunday for his home in Edmonton, Alta., accompanied by his niece, Miss Stevens, daughter of

Mr. W. M. Stevens, 13 James street. En route they will visit Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg. Miss Stevens will accompany her aunt Mrs. Saunders to the coast in June, returning to summer at Banff. Ottawa Citizen.

A bright and decidedly popular girl, whom we have come to look on as one of our own, Miss Jessie Lynch, leaves shortly for Wetaskiwin, to be gone for an indefinite period. While the guest of her sister, Mrs. Barford, she has made a host of friends who will miss her very much from all the social functions.

The Bal Poudre, to be given by the Westward Ho Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, will take place in the Thistle Rink on May 23. Tickets for the dance may be obtained from the members of the Chapter, ladies \$1; gentlemen \$2.

Mr. C. G. Searth leaves shortly for the East where his marriage to one of Cornwall's most popular daughters, Miss Grace McLennan, takes place about the 10th of June. I see by Toronto Saturday Night that Miss McLennan was one of the bridesmaids at Miss Vera Toller's wedding in Ottawa, which took place on April the 21th to Mr. Godfrey B. Greene, and that Miss Pansy Mills, Mrs. Arthur Hamilton's sister, was another of the fair attendants.

On Monday evening the piano pupils of Mr. Vernon Barford gave a charming recital in All Saints' schoolroom, playing an interesting but difficult program of most enjoyable selections, before a large and distinctly appreciative audience. The piano numbers were interspersed with two vocal solos by Mr. Mantle, whose splendid quality of voice and rarely pleasing style have made him a first favorite with Edmonton audiences. The young ladies who added fresh lustre to their own and Mr. Barford's reputation were: Miss Patricia Sanders, Miss Gretta Mercer, Miss Joan McDonald, Miss Ethel Goode, Miss Eva Goode, Miss Helen Montgomery, Miss Ernestine Berube, Miss Lillian Grindley and Miss Nesta Mercer.

A noticeable feature of the evening was the hearty appreciation the various numbers elicited from all present, very different from the half-hearted applause accorded the really splendid production of "The Pirates of Penzance." Entirely new I was more than ashamed of the reception the amateur production was given. Is Edmonton not capable of appreciating an artistic thing, or are we growing cold and indifferent? In either case we need to wake up.

Mr. C. Ross Palmer leaves on Tuesday for Hudson's Hope in Northern British Columbia, on a prospecting tour, and intends being absent about three months.

After the production of "The Pirates of Penzance" on Friday Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Turnbull entertained the members of the Operatic Society to a delicious light supper, after which an impromptu dance was held, much to the enjoyment of these hard worked amateurs.

On Tuesday the Society itself had a merry dance at Rennie's, when I hear they wore their stage costumes and looked exceedingly swag-gery.

Mrs. Duncan Smith, Mrs. Barnes, and Mrs. Braithwaite were three of last week's hostesses entertaining at cards on various evenings, when the fortunate invitees enjoyed the best of hospitality. Mrs. Barnes' evening took the form of a Military Euchre, which proved a delightful innovation.

On Monday Mrs. Mercer entertained at a ladies "Bridge", which is being eagerly anticipated by the game's enthusiastic devotees.

News has been received of the marriage in China of Dr. C. W. Freeman, formerly medical Superintendent of the Hamilton City Hospital, and Miss Florence Lillian Mortson, also formerly of Hamilton. The wedding took place at the British Consulate on February 20, Bishop Spellmeyer of Cincinnati conducting the ceremony. Dr. Freeman is a brother of Mrs. W. A. Buchanan of Edmonton, who has recently moved to the Capital from Lethbridge.

The Winnipeg papers contained, last week, long accounts of the wedding of one of the most popular members of the Canadian Women's Press Club, Miss Ethel Lindsay, of the Winnipeg Free Press to Mr. Rockwell C. Osborne of Wisconsin. The charming little bride has hosts of friends throughout the East and West who will wish both her and her fortunate husband long life and every happiness. As a newspaper writer she did some remarkably clever work. Whether discoursing on social topics or invading the more legitimate field of newspaper work, her copy radiated the grace and charm of the ready writer, while she herself will ever be remembered as one of the bright particular lights of the Women's Press Club meeting of 1906.

On their return from their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne will take up their residence on Nassau street in the Prairie City.

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A. H. Liversidge, formerly of Lodi, has launched another paper in Wetaskiwin, which is known as "The Saturday Dispatch."

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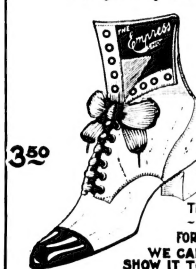
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The Week in Calgary

As Reviewed by the Correspondent of the Saturday News

The Civic Policy of Leaping in the Dark--The Suggested Theological College--A Higher Critic--Some Spots on Calgary's Sun.

There are some peculiar features attached to Calgary's large popular vote in favor of a street railway. The matter was not discussed in any public meeting, and till two days before the vote almost nothing appeared in the press concerning it. Even then there was practically no critical discussion of the by-law itself.

And at the present moment the people of Calgary know just as little about this railway as they do about the North Pole. They know they want a railway and are going to have it. It will be owned by the city, and run by a "commission." But what sort of commission is an unknown "X." Where the railway will run they know not--the press tried to find out and couldn't. The question of fares received no attention whatever. Nobody knows whether a groove rail will be used, whether there will be double tracks or a switch system, nor is acquainted with any of the details which are ordinarily pretty fully discussed.

The conclusion of the whole matter is that Calgary people are acquiring a habit of leaping into the dark--or of "walking by faith and not by sight," according to one's way of looking at it. Certainly the confidence shown in the city's representatives speaks well for the latter's integrity. But such a course if persisted in will one day lead Calgary up with a very large white elephant. The ordinary citizen ought to acquaint himself more fully with the important problems which confront every young city, and contribute where he can to their proper working out.

A large measure of criticism attaches to the city council in connection with this and similar matters. The present council is doing things there is no doubt of that. But they are doing them in the dark. And while they possess the confidence of the people, it is not to their credit that they hold back legitimate information concerning civic affairs and have adopted star chamber committee meetings. For some time the press has been excluded from the meetings of all committees. Consequently the public gets no information concerning many important matters till they are acted upon finally in the council session. It betrays a medieval spirit, fosters the idea that the aldermen are doing things which they wish to conceal, and renders almost impossible the education of the people in civic affairs.

Calgary has been honored by being chosen as the first meeting place of the Presbyterian synod of Alberta. The gathering was well attended, of exceeding interest, and a great deal of important church business was transacted.

A denominational paper will be established in Alberta, a ladies' college at Lethbridge will be inaugurated, and a co-educational college at Cardston. The decision which of all those arrived at by the synod will attract most attention, and has the greatest bearing outside of the denomination, was "that a theological seminary be established in connection with the university at Strathcona."

If this means a mere affiliation, such as Knox and Victoria and Tri-

nity have with Toronto university, there will be no adverse criticism. But many have keen eyes will be watching to see that partiality is not exercised by the Government towards any denominational institution.

On the floor of the Synod the suggestion was made in all good faith by a prominent ministerial delegate that the proposed institution "be a union seminary." His optimism is commendable, but his idea seems premature. At the present rate of progress towards church union it will be many years before a "union theological seminary," in connection with a provincial university, can be an accomplished fact, it matters not how much such a millennial-like condition is to be desired.

The Synod has conferred no small favor upon theologians of all grades and degree by bringing Dr. Jordan, professor of Old Testament in Queen's University, to Calgary to lecture in connection with the theological conference held this week. Dr. Jordan is a ripe and profound scholar, a self-confessed advocate of higher criticism, and possessing, as seems true of all those who spend much time upon and enter boldly into the mysteries of the Old Testament scriptures, a spirit full of Christian charity, pure, strong, and sweet.

To the Arbitration Board agreed upon last year by the Builder's Exchange and the Building Trade's belongs the credit of having settled situations which might easily have resulted in serious strikes. A number of the unions made demands, and some of them were for a time in an ugly mood. In some cases the increases asked for were agreed; in others compromises were reached. Calgary is to have a building season uninterrupted by labor troubles, owing partly to the reasonableness of the employers and the common sense of the men, but mainly after all to that mechanical device the arbitration board.

Another snag has loomed up, however, in the course of Calgary's prosperity, and for that matter its ugly outlines face each city and town in the west. It's the lumber combine again. Let no one mention Standard Oil and the "tainted money" of Uncle Andy! The octopus of the mountains has got thru fabled into mere shadows. Yes, twenty eight dollars per thousand is what Calgary contractors now have to pay for rough lumber and the local dealers are not to blame, having raised their scale only after being compelled to do so by the action of the mountain magnates. And do you know what that lumber is worth? Well, a couple of yeras ago, in a district where all white labor was employed, good enough lumber was being loaded on cars at \$10.50 per thousand. And it can be done now. Nuff sed?

No, just one more howl. There are a whole lot of people out in this great and glorious west who would choke the life's blood out of its progress if by drinking it with greedy sips they could fatten themselves thereon. The feudal system was a peach, in some respects, compared to the one under which we now exist. When it is necessary to pay a bonus to secure

a commodity at an outrageous price, where are we at anyway? This, gentle reader, is the twentieth century A.D. chronologically, but about the year minus one in the evolution of some avenues of commerce. If brother Lemieux had been west during the trouble he might have treated with a little less of the Sunny Jim air the coal situation. Calgary's street lights were shut off about fourteen days owing to the supply of coal at the works being very low. Fortunately the waterworks system has weathered the gale.

Clerks and others are agitating for a half holiday on Wednesday afternoons during June, July and August. The request is a commendable one. Many merchants desire it as much as the clerks, and the idea bids fair to materialize.

In Strathcona.

As the Saturday News goes to press everything is in readiness for the banquet to be tendered Premier Rutherford at the Strathcona House on Friday evening. The affair will be a thoroughly non-partisan one for the purpose of paying tribute to Mr. Rutherford's worth as a citizen; the occasion's being the eve of his departure for Britain.

The corner stone of the new Presbyterian Church was laid with appropriate ceremony on Monday afternoon by Rev. Dr. Herdman, who last week at Calgary was chosen as moderator of the Synod of the first Synod of Alberta. Rev. Dr. MacDonald presided in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Flemming, and addresses were delivered by Premier Rutherford, Mayor Mills and the ministers of other denominations in the city. Rev. Dr. McQueen gave a most interesting historical review of Presbyterianism in Strathcona, from the day when the present site consisted of but three homesteads, those of John Walter, Joseph Macdonald and Fred Saehe. In concluding Dr. McQueen expressed the hope that the two cities would soon become one and that it would before long become necessary to erect a second Presbyterian Church on the Strathcona side of the river in the shadow of the provincial university.

Rev. J. C. Bowen of Dauphin, Manitoba, has accepted a call to the Strathcona Baptist Church and is expected in the city at an early date.

The tenders for the new C.P.R. station call for its completion by Sept. 1st. It will resemble very largely the C.N.R. depot in Edmonton and should be a large and commodious structure. The exact site has not yet been located.

Captain Carstairs intends to change the name of the Royal Hotel calling it the Iroquois.

A movement is on foot to erect an opera house at a cost of \$20,000.

An extensive addition will be built to the Dominion Hotel this summer, the frame portion at the rear being replaced.

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Home and Society

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Mrs. Cautley of Beeton Lodge gave a charming little tea on Thursday afternoon when a number of old friends and a bright coterie of visitors in town had a chance of meeting her mother who returned to Edmonton one day this week. The tea was one of those rarely pleasant ones when each guest had the opportunity of a chat with her hostess as well as a word with all her most intimate friends. Among the out of town guests I noticed Mrs. Howard Douglas of Banff, beautifully frocked in a handsome black costume with a very smart white lilac hat, with handsome black plumes.

Miss Supple, a tall graceful girl, tres chic in a white tailored suit, with long coat effect, and the jauntiest of turbans in a lovely shade of pale blue. Miss Stevens of Ottawa, Mrs. Saunders' niece, most becomingly gowned in a smart tailor made with a dainty lace bodice.

The drawing room and tea room were fragrant with the perfume many exquisite spring blossoms, the table arrangements being particularly lovely and effective, an oblong centre piece of palest green silk being shrouded in billows of white tulle with three vases of pink and white sweet peas arranged in pretty fashion.

Mrs. Hislop served the ices and Mrs. Nightingale poured tea, while the Misses Hudspeth assisted in passing the delicious dainties.

A smart little dinner party was given at the King Edward Hotel on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Douglas, of the National Park, Banff, who are visiting at the Capital. Mr. Douglas, who is superintendent of the National Park, returned to Banff early in the week, but Mrs. Douglas is remaining to visit friends in town, Mrs. Hardisty and Mrs. Saunders among the number.

Mrs. Nightingale will not receive on Tuesday nor again until the Autumn.

Mrs. Mercer entertains at Bridge on Monday evening. Mrs. Saunders will be a tea hostess on Tuesday and several other small affairs are on the tapis for next week.

There is a good deal of talk about the Golf Club's holding its opening tea on Saturday, though how true dear Dame Rumor's gossip may be in the present instance I am unable to state. Certain it is that the game's enthusiasts are keen to open the season, and weather permitting Saturday should see us all sipping tea on the Club House steps.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Raymer who were recently married in California are expected in Edmonton on Saturday, where they will be warmly welcomed by Mr. Raymer's old friends.

Mr. Tom Davies of Ottawa is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. D. Hyndman.

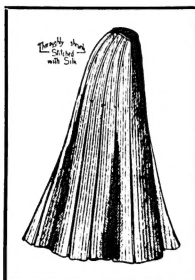
A sale of home cooking will be held Saturday afternoon at Strathcona, in the store formerly occupied by McCallum and Westbrook, by the ladies of Holy Trinity Rectory Guild. The ladies will have for sale cakes, pies, jellies, salads, and meats. Afternoon tea will also be served.

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